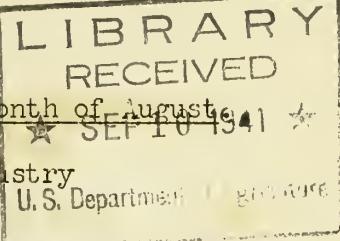


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#### LONG STAPLE COTTON MARKET CONDITIONS

The New Bedford Sunday Standard-Times of August 31 states as follows:

"Trading volume in extra staple cotton did not run as high during the past week as during the previous week, but dealing continued in some quarters here and in other New England centers and buying interest was active.

"Extra staple lengths ranging from inch and thirty-seconds up to inch and three-sixteenths figured in the week's activity, in New Bedford, Providence and Fall River. Selected shorter cottons also sold in Fall River and Boston markets in considerable volume.

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"Based on December futures government classed cotton is quoted herewith for strict low middling, for middling and for strict middling, F.O.B. New Bedford:

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Inch and 1/8th - 200 to 225; 300 to 325; 375 to 400.

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#### QUOTATIONS ON S&P AND EGYPTIAN COTTONS AT NEW ENGLAND MILL POINTS RECEIVED BY THE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE

(Quotations on Sakel, Giza 7, and Uppers are for medium grade only and are duty paid)

S & P	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 15	Aug. 22	Aug. 29
No. 1 . . . . .	36.50¢	36.50¢	36.50¢	36.50¢	36.50¢
" 2 . . . . .	35.50	35.50	35.50	35.50	35.50
" 3 . . . . .	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
Sakel, Fully Good Fair	33.20¢	33.20¢	33.20¢	33.20¢	33.20¢
Giza 7, " " "	31.30¢	31.30¢	31.30¢	31.30¢	31.30¢
Uppers, " " "	29.85¢	29.35¢	29.35¢	29.85¢	29.85¢

QUOTATIONS ON SxP AND PIMA COTTONS AT CAROLINA MILL POINTS  
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<u>SxP</u>	<u>July 18</u>	<u>July 25</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u>	<u>Aug. 8</u>	<u>Aug. 15</u>	<u>Aug. 22</u>	<u>Aug. 29</u>
No. 1 ...	38 ¢	:	38 ¢	:	37 ¢	:	37 ¢
" 2 ...	36	:	36	:	35½	:	35½
" 3 ...	33	:	33	:	32	:	32
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
<u>Pima</u>	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
No. 1 ...	38 ¢	:	38 ¢	:	37 ¢	:	37 ¢
" 2 ...	36	:	36	:	35½	:	35½
" 3 ...	33	:	33	:	32	:	32

MIDDLING QUOTATIONS AT NEW ORLEANS

The quotations for Middling Spot cotton on the New Orleans market for August 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29, as reported in the Commercial and Financial Chronicles of August 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30, respectively, were as follows:

	<u>7/8 inch</u>	<u>15/16 inch</u>
	:	:
August 1	. . . . .	15.69 ¢
" 8	. . . . .	16.04
" 15	. . . . .	15.56
" 22	. . . . .	15.81
" 29	. . . . .	16.26

LIVERPOOL PRICES OF EGYPTIAN AND UPLAND COTTONS  
ON AUGUST 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29  
(From Commercial and Financial Chronicles of  
August 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30, respectively)

<u>August 1</u>	<u>1941</u> (pence)	<u>1940</u> (pence)	<u>1939</u> (pence)
	<u>1/</u>		
Good Giza . . . . .	15.30	13.32	7.42
Middling Uplands . . . . .	Closed	7.82	5.28
<u>August 8</u>	<u>1/</u>		
Good Giza . . . . .	15.30	13.90	7.29
Middling Uplands . . . . .	Closed	7.84	5.22
<u>August 15</u>	<u>1/</u>		
Good Giza . . . . .	15.30	14.73	7.29
Middling Uplands . . . . .	Closed	8.19	5.14

## LIVERPOOL PRICES OF EGYPTIAN AND UPLAND COTTONS, Cont'd.

<u>August 22</u>	<u>1941</u> (pence)	<u>1940</u> (pence)	<u>1939</u> (pence)
	1/		
Good Giza . . . . .	15.30	14.54	8.38
Middling Uplands : : .	Closed	8.18	5.52
<u>August 29</u>	<u>1/</u>		
Good Giza . . . . .	15.30	8.23	5.71
Middling Uplands : : .	Closed	?	?

1/These prices correspond to prices at Liverpool for Good Giza of 25.7 cents on August 1, 25.7 cents on August 8, 25.5 cents on August 15, 25.5 cents on August 22, and 25.7 cents on August 29, the pound sterling having been quoted at New York for cable transfer at \$4.032 on August 1, \$4.032 on August 8, \$4.031 on August 15, \$4.030 on August 22, and \$4.033 on August 29.

## STOCKS AT ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT

Due to war conditions, the stocks at Alexandria, Egypt, on August 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 of this year and of the two preceding years are not available.



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### LONG STAPLE COTTON MARKET CONDITIONS

The New Bedford Sunday Standard-Times of September 14 states as follows:

"More active buying interest, some definite mill inquiry and a very moderate amount of actual trading characterized extra staple cotton markets here and elsewhere in New England during the past week. Spots were wanted in some quarters but were hard to find in the length and grade desired. Rising futures found a few shippers willing to accept business at slightly lower basis premiums than they formerly quoted, but this was only occasional and market quotations, as a rule, were unchanged from the two preceding weeks, even though there was somewhat more activity.

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<u>SxP</u>	<u>Sept. 5 :</u>		<u>Sept. 5 : Sept. 12</u>
No. 1 . . . . .	35 ¢ :	Sakel, Fully Good Fair	33.45 ¢ : 33.45 ¢
" 2 . . . . .	34 :		:
" 3 . . . . .	32 :	Giza 7, " " "	31.55 : 31.55
	:		:
<u>SxP</u>	<u>Sept. 12:</u>	Uppers, " " "	30.10 : 30.10
	:		:
No. 1 . . . . .	34 ¢ :		:
" 2 . . . . .	33 :		:
" 3 . . . . .	31 :		:

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<u>SxP</u>	<u>Sept. 5</u>	<u>: Sept. 12</u>
No. 1 . . . . .	37 ¢	37 ¢
" 2 . . . . .	35½	35½
" 3 . . . . .	32	32
<u>Pima</u>		
No. 1 . . . . .	37 ¢	37 ¢
" 2 . . . . .	35½	35½
" 3 . . . . .	32	32

MILL CONSUMPTION IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICAN-EGYPTIAN  
AND IMPORTED EGYPTIAN COTTONS FOR JULY, 1941

The Bureau of the Census reports mill consumption of American-Egyptian cotton during the month of July as 3,086 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, compared with 2,449 bales in June and 2,579 bales in May. The mill consumption of imported Egyptian cotton is reported as having been 5,454 bales in July, compared with 5,467 bales in June and 6,016 bales in May.

MILL CONSUMPTION IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICAN-EGYPTIAN  
AND IMPORTED EGYPTIAN COTTONS FOR AUGUST, 1941

The Bureau of the Census reports mill consumption of American-Egyptian cotton during the month of August as 2,754 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, compared with 3,086 bales in July and 2,449 bales in June. The mill consumption of imported Egyptian cotton is reported as having been 5,647 bales in August, compared with 5,454 bales in July and 5,467 bales in June.